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Installed in a Motor Vehicle

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Prior to the issuance of a first Office Action and simultaneously with the filing of
the present application, please amend said application as follows:

In the Specification:

Page 1, delete line 3;

after line 3, insert --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION,

Field of the Invention--;

after line 9, insert --Discussion of the Prior Art--;

please amend the paragraph starting at line 10 as follows: